GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1664
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Carbon Footprint
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the Railways contributes substantial reduction of carbon footprint than roadways;
(b) if so, the details thereof;
(c) the steps being taken to strengthen the rail transport to increase its intermodal share in freight traffic in the next 15 years;
(d) whether the Railways is considering to reduce emission intensity by 32% in the year 2030 over the year 2005 by improving rail traction fuel and energy efficiency by 8% to 14% over 2013; and
(e) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS
(SHRI MANOJ SINHA)

(a) to (e): A Statement is laid on the Table of the House.
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